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SUBJECT: Applicants: Prendergast *et al.*  
Serial No: 09/784,827  
Filed: February 15, 2001  
For: ISOLATION SYSTEM WITH ANALOG  
COMMUNICATION ACROSS  
AN ISOLATION BARRIER  
Group: 2646  
Examiner: Singh, Ramnandan  
Docket No: AD-217J

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, enclosed is an Information Disclosure Citation in an Application (Form PTO-A820) that cites five (5) references. A copy of each of the references is enclosed.

This information disclosure statement is being filed in accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(c), as it is being filed before the mailing date of either a Final Office Action or a Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, the applicant submits herewith a check in the amount of \$180.00, the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p) for filing an information disclosure statement under 37 CFR 1.97(c).

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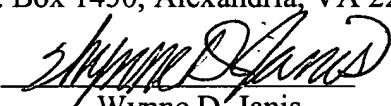


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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	1	6,434,199 B1	08/13/2002	Desrosiers <i>et al.</i>	
	2	6,415,003 B1	07/02/2002	Raghavan	
	3	6,304,594 B1	10/16/2001	Salinger	
	4	5,883,907	03/16/1999	Hoekstra	

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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

REF	FOREIGN DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	COUNTRY	Translation	
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## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

5 "Signal Isolation Buffer Amplifiers" product brochure, 15 pages, Burr-Brown Corporation, 1987

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